

DRESS PATTERNS—STONE &amp; THOMAS.

# STONE & THOMAS.

## Nothing

Will make a more popular or more acceptable present than a nice DRESS PATTERN. Over 1,000 Dress Patterns to be sold. Dress Patterns from \$1.98 to \$50.00.

## Special Attention

Is called to the following:

8 yards Strictly All Wool Henrietta Cloth for.....\$1.98  
8 yards Strictly All Wool French Serge for.....\$1.98  
8 yards 38-inch Novelty Dress Goods for.....\$1.98  
8 yards Imported Novelty Suiting for.....\$2.88  
12 yards Gros Grain Silk for.....\$5.88  
12 yards Satin Duchess for.....\$5.88  
12 yards Brocaded Taffeta Silk for.....\$9.86

Each packed in a Highly Polished Card Board Box.

## Sterling Silver

A most complete line of new Sterling Silver Novelties; also Brushes of all descriptions.

## China

From the leading makers of this and Foreign Countries.

## Specials.


114 piece Dinner Set, Vienna China, in the latest shape and decoration,

Value \$30.00, at \$23.75.

114 piece Haviland China Dinner Set,

Value \$85.00, at \$59.00.

China Fern Dishes 98c; China Comb and Brush Trays 75c; China Picture Frames 98c, \$1.25; Chocolate Sets \$6.50, \$7.50; Delft and Gold Jardiniers 85c, \$1.35. Every conceivable kind of Plates, Jardiniers and Pedastals \$3.25, in all wantable shapes are here.

The Book Store,  The Toy Store,  
Are Interesting.

# STONE & THOMAS.

If convenient come in the morning. You can be better served. P. S.—Store open at nights until Christmas.

CHRISTMAS OFFERS—GEO. M. SNOOK &amp; CO.

# ROYAL Christmas Offers.

MATCH THEM IF YOU CAN!

300 26-Inch

Twilled Gloria Umbrellas, with paragon frames, steel rods, natural wood handles, satine cases.

98c Each

100 Fine 26-Inch

Taffeta Silk Umbrellas, with paragon frames and steel rods. A fine assortment of handles, such as dresden, pearl, etc.

\$2.90 Each

In a Few Days

500 Umbrellas at 68c each will arrive, which cannot be matched elsewhere for less than \$1.00. A thousand Umbrellas here—all the way up to \$19.99.

200 Nicely Boxed Stocking Garters

With Metal Clasp and Satin Bows 10c pair. 800 more pairs from 25c to \$1.98.

20 Dozen Cut Glass Salt and Peppers

Silver plated tops, 10c each. Price elsewhere 15c. We also sell Cut Glass Mustards at 25c that sell elsewhere at 50c. Our range of Cut Glass Ware is unequalled for high quality and low price.

15 Dozen White Embroidered Lawn Aprons,

Slightly enough to sell for 50c, our low price 25c. Aprons 13c to \$2.00.

50 Dozen Double Texture Satin Damask Towels

With hemstitched and drawn work ends, some also with heavy knotted fringe ends. The cheapest are worth \$1.00, the best \$1.25. Our one low price 68c.

STORE OPEN EVERY EVENING TILL CHRISTMAS.

# Geo. M. Snook & Co.

## A Big Sale

Of Shoes for all kinds of and conditions of people, old and young, rich and poor. A royal offering of reliable footwear.

## Christmas.

If you have put off your buying for Christmas, come now. There is nothing more likely to please than a gift of a pair of

## Slippers or Shoes.

Assortments were never better and prices more favorable. All grades and kinds, from 50c upwards.

A beautiful Christmas Card goes free to every purchaser.

## O'KANE & CO.,

113 MAIN STREET.



## Just What Your Eyes Need.

We'll tell you after scientifically testing them. This service and advice are free. If Glasses are needed, we select the best and most effective kind, and charge moderately for them.

Dillon, Wheat & Hancher Co.  
L. LEVITT, MANAGER.

## The Intelligencer

Office Nos. 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

### New Advertisements.

Finest in the City—Goetz's Drug Store—Third Page.  
Stocks for Sale—Howard Hazlett, Holiday Goods—Carle Bros.  
A Big Sale—O'Kane & Co.—Eighth Page.  
For Rent—Store Room.  
For Rent—Dwelling.  
Pitted Raisins—Albert Stoize & Co.  
Night School—Wheeling Business College.  
Ladies' Desk—G. Mendel & Co.—Fifth Page.  
Stanton's Book Store—Second Page.  
Great Slaughter Sale—Fifth Page.  
Men's Furnishing Goods—Baer's—Eighth Page.  
Christmas Presents—McFadden's One Price Store—Eighth Page.  
Royal Christmas Offers—Geo. M. Snook & Co.—Eighth Page.  
Headquarters for Holiday Goods—Jos. Graves' Sons.

### REMOVAL NOTICE.

Jacob W. Grubb has removed his store from the Grand Opera House building to No. 1200 Market street, where a large and elegant line of Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds, etc., may be found.

### USEFUL CHRISTMAS GIFTS

**FOR GENTLEMEN.**  
Ladies, surprise your husbands and sons by ordering a Fancy Silk or Wool Vest, a nice pair of Trousers or Overcoat. We have their measures, and are prepared to make up on short notice.  
The newest and latest Gent's Furnishing Goods at C. HESS & SONS', Fashionable Tailors and Gent's Furnishers, 1331-1333 Market Street.

### USEFUL CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

Latest Neckwear, Mufflers, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Gloves, Umbrellas, Dress and Fancy Shirts, Knit Jackets and Comfort Coats, Half Hose and Underwear at popular prices, at C. HESS & SONS', Fashionable Tailors and Gent's Furnishers, 1331 and 1333 Market street.

48c for All Silk Mufflers, rich, new styles, at

Water Rents Are Due.

Water rents for the six months ending March 31, 1897, are now ready. If paid on or before December 31, 1896, a discount of 10 per cent will be allowed.

THE CITY WATER BOARD.

### IN CLERK HOOK'S OFFICE.

Deeds Recorded, Marriages Licensed and Other Transact one.

In Clerk Hook's office the following transfer of real estate was recorded yesterday:

Deed made December 1, 1896, by W. P. Hubbard, special commissioner, to Samuel C. Patterson; land on the national pier; consideration, \$1,210.

Marriage licenses were issued as follows:

Elmer E. Teater, aged twenty-five years, of Wheeling, and Florence B. Garrison, aged twenty-one years, of Bridgeport, O.

William Denlinger, aged twenty-three years, and Maud Irene Holz, aged twenty-one years, of Pittsburgh.

John C. Cridler, aged twenty-three years, and Bertha Rickard, aged twenty years, of Wheeling.

NO need to suffer with rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia, cramps or colic. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil cures all such troubles, and does it quickly. 1

IF you want a beautiful Chatelaine Watch, call and see us.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

35c for Gold-Plated Link Cuff Buttons.

McFADDEN'S.

LARGEST stock of Booklets and Calendars in the city, at

CARLE BROS.

WE'LL show lots of new Novelties every day until Xmas.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

STERLING Silver mounted silk suspenders, \$1.00 per pair, at Sheff Bros.

GREAT bargains in Framed Pictures, Fancy Goods, Toilet and Shaving Cases, Work Boxes, &c.

KIRK'S ART STORE.

1065 Main Street.

STERLING Silver Hossors, fine quality, \$1.25 and upwards.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

MEN'S Steel Rod Gloria Umbrellas, with covers, for 98c, at

McFADDEN'S.

FIFTY new and dainty Photo frames in this morning.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

FINE line of Children's Books, at

CARLE BROS.

SOLD Gold Silver Thimbles, 10 cents at Sheff Bros., 1110 Main street.

DIAMOND Pendant, new design, \$25 to \$50 each, at

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

ONYX Stand and Lamp marked down at

H. E. HILLMAN & CO'S.

CUT Glass Tooth-pick Holders, 25c each.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

## CHANGE OF ROUTE

By Wheeling Railway Company on the South Side.

## THE TRAFFIC ON SOUTH MAIN

Street is so small that an effort is to be made to secure a franchise for the use of other streets—if this is done Right Squares of Track will have to be laid. The New North and South Bound Routes Com. are with Those Used Now.

The Wheeling Railway Company will probably soon apply to council for an extension of its franchise, as it applies to streets on the South Side. The company has in contemplation a project to change the routes for the north and south bound cars south of the creek, which will throw the main line off Main street, between Twentieth and Twenty-seventh streets.

An official of the company says there is comparatively little travel on Main street between the streets named. The main arteries of traffic are Market, Chapline, Eoff and Jacob streets, and if the company's plans meet with the approval of council, there will be no electric cars on Main street, south of Twentieth.

The present route for south bound cars is along Main to Twenty-seventh, on Twenty-seventh to Chapline, on Chapline to Thirty-third, etc. For north bound cars the route is: North on Eoff from Thirty-third to Twenty-seventh, on Twenty-seventh to Chapline, on Chapline to Twenty-second, on Twenty-second to Market, on Market over the creek.

The proposed routes are as follows: South bound—On Main to Twentieth, on Twentieth to Market, on Market to Twenty-second, on Twenty-second to Chapline, on Chapline to Thirty-third, etc.

North bound—From Thirty-third on Eoff to Twenty-third, on Twenty-third to Chapline, on Chapline to Twentieth, on Twentieth to Market, on Market over the creek.

If the company secures the franchise for laying tracks on the South Side streets, it will be necessary to lay track for a distance of eight squares, as follows: On Twentieth, between Main and Market; on Twentieth between Market and Chapline; on Chapline between Twentieth and Twenty-second; on Twenty-third between Chapline and Eoff; on Eoff between Twenty-third and Twenty-seventh.

By the new arrangement, however, it will be necessary to run both north and south bound cars on one piece of track a square in length, on Chapline, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third.

DO not allow your system to get weak and debilitated. It is easy to keep well and strong by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

LADIES' Guitar—made of maple wood, \$7.50. F. W. BAUMER & CO.

IMPORTANT—It is the duty of every person who contemplates buying holiday goods to look around. You can get anything in the Jewelry, Watch or Clock line at O. C. Genter's for less money than elsewhere. You can find the largest stock in the state, and each and every article is just as represented, and you can feel satisfied that you have paid the right price for anything you may buy, which on examination you will find to be at a lower figure than the same article can be had elsewhere. Mr. Genter's business has already commenced. He does a wholesale business as well as retail, and is prepared to accommodate all persons.

14 KARAT Gold Filled Egin or Waltham Watches from \$10.00 up, at Sheff Bros., 1110 Main street.

BOYS' Silver Watches, American make, warranted good, \$6.00 each.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

HILLMAN & CO. have a fine line. Their prices are away down.

JUST received—something new in Music Stands.

F. W. BAUMER & CO.

FOR Xmas Tree ornaments go to 7-10th & 8c.

CARLE BROS.

50c for Fur Top Kid Gloves for Men and Boys, at

McFADDEN'S.

BOYS' Solid Silver Watches fully warranted, \$5.00 each, at Sheff Bros.

ATTEND Sons of Veterans' Bean Bake to-night at Odd Fellows' hall.

BIRTHSTONE Rings, solid gold, \$1.50 each, at

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

ROSS T. CHEW is selling all small lots of Wall Paper at half price.

SILK Umbrellas, real French designs, at

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

CALL at Hillman & Co's and you will get Bargains in Watches.

SILVER Comb, Brush and Mirror Set \$5.00 and upwards.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

OXFORD BIBLES, from 50 cents to \$1.00, at

CARLE BROS.

SEE our Novelties in Silk Umbrellas. Nothing like them in town.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

35c for Fine Silk Christmas Neckties at

McFADDEN'S.

ROGERS' Best Silver Knives or Forks, at \$2.25 per dozen, at Sheff Bros.

PHOTOGRAPHS FOR CHRISTMAS from all sittings made this week. \$5.00 (carbonates) \$3.50 per doz.

ONHILL'S, 203 Market.

HIGH grade Wall Paper away down, Ross T. Chew's.

DIAMOND Pendants made up of the very finest stones, \$25 to \$500 each at

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

The New Way.

Some of the best physicians who have had their eyes examined and investigated Professor Sheff's new scientific method of examining the eyes and fitting glasses without use of drugs and making the patient blind for a week, or having them look at charts, etc., or in any way depend upon the patient, is wonderful and the only absolute correct way for examining the eyes for glasses. Professor Sheff can be consulted and will examine the eyes free at 1110 Main street.

BEWARE of the 10, 20 and 30 per cent cheap Sterling Silver goods on the market.

DILLON, WHEAT & HANCHER CO.

"Complete Manhood"

A Wonderful New Medical Book, written for Men Only. One copy may be had free on application.

ERIE MEDICAL CO. BUFFALO, N. Y.

THE HUB CLOTHIERS AND FURNISHERS.

HE WHO BUYS FIRST BUYS BEST.

EVERYBODY SHOPS AT THE HUB.

# Tens of Thousands in Presents.

There's only one store in Wheeling that nighs one Gigantic Stock every feature of apparel for size and son—that's ours. What is wearable is giveable—everything under our roof is tipped with the glowing brilliancy of the holiday season, and touched by the munificence of our enterprise. Never before did our roof shelter such a collection. This fortune that is invested in favors shares itself in Men's Clothes of our well known brands, in Boys' and Children's Clothes, Hats and Furnishings that our cash and perseverance gathered from the best makers. This is a busy, bustling time—patience is at a premium—but your Christmas shopping can be BEST DONE, MOST QUICKLY DONE, MOST PROFITABLY DONE in this Wheeling's modern ark of merchandising, where the select and the best is housed. Get in the GOOD COMPANY OF QUALITY—THE BEST IS HERE—and our prices are the people's delight.

## Sensible Giveables for Boys.

Boys' Suits, Boys' Overcoats, Boys' Ulsters, Boys' Reefers, Leggings, Hats, Caps, Suspenders, Rubber Coats, Study Coats, Waists, Shirts, Trousers, Ties.

## Sensible Giveables for Men.

Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters, Trousers, Mackintoshes, Rubber Coats, Cardigan Jackets, Sweaters, Smoking Coats, Neckwear, Mufflers, Umbrellas, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Shirts, Night Robes, Collars, Cuffs, Hats, Caps.

# THE HUB Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers...

Market and Fourteenth Sts.

Wheeling's Largest and Only Strictly One-Price House.

MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS—BAER'S.

# BAER'S

30 TWELFTH STREET.

## Men's Furnishing Goods.

Every fad and fancy finds place here; every article of staple merit is sure to be here. Best in all points of real goodness and priced at the lowest notch really reliable goods ever sold for.

The Holiday Goods are coming in plentifully. First pick may mean something. The new Neckwear are beauties—rich and exclusive in pattern and styles. Kid Gloves and Handkerchiefs, too, are nice things to give, and useful—and some of the Umbrellas are perfect poems of art. Come and have a peep before the holiday rush starts.

# BAER'S ...CLOTHING... HOUSE.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS—McFADDEN'S.

## Christmas Presents

That Please the Men and Boys.

Boys' Black Heavy Rib Winter Stockings 12c.	Christmas Neckties, Bows, Scarfs, Ties, 25c.	Our Own Make of White or Colored Shirts 50c.	Steel Rod Gloria Umbrellas 10c.
Men's Seamless Camel's Hair Socks 12c.	Gold Plated Link Cuff Buttons, 25c.	Fine Wool all sizes, 25c, \$1.00, \$1.50.	Boys' Fine Silk Push Caps 25c, 50c.
4 Ply Linen Latest styles, 10c.	Initial White Silk Handkerchiefs 12c.	Elegant Silk new patterns, 48c.	Sterling Silver Trimmed Umbrellas \$1.50.

McFadden's One Price Store, THE CHEAPEST STORE IN WHEELING, Our Store is Open Every Night, 1320 and 1322 Market Street.

CHRISTMAS CARDS—J. H. LOCKE SHOE COMPANY.

## A GREAT CARD.

In addition to showing the largest line of Shoes and Slippers suitable for Holiday Presents, and at prices within the reach of all, From now until December 25 we will present each CUSTOMER with the finest and most artistic Christmas Card ever given away in this city. Remember these presents are for actual purchasers.

# J. H. LOCKE SHOE CO.